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SUBJECT: VISIT TO BRUSSELS OF SBA ADMINISTRATOR (CONGRESS
OF INTERNATIONAL INSTITUTE FOR THE MIDDLE CLASSES)

1. EMBASSY COORDINATING COMPLETE PROGRAM FOR VISIT SBA
ADMINISTRATOR KLEPPE FOR PERIOD NOVEMBER 26-30 WITH INTERNATIONAL
INSTITUTE FOR MIDDLE CLASSES, EUROPMI (LIAISON COMMITTEE FOR
SMALL AND MEDIUM-SIZED INDUSTRIAL ENTERPRISES IN EUROPEAN
ECONOMIC COMMUNITY), BELGIAN GOVERNMENT MINISTRY OF MIDDLE
CLASSES, AND BELGIAN GOVERNMENT MINISTRY FOR SCIENCE POLICY.
EMBASSY CONTROL OFFICER IS ECONOMIC OFFICER FSO EDWARD MARKS
(OFFICE TELEPHONE 13.38.30; HOME PHONE 13.11.55), WHO WILL
COORDINATE ENTIRE PROGRAM.

2. FOLLOWING IS TENTATIVE PROGRAM PENDING APPROVAL
ADMINISTRATOR KLEPPE AND OTHER PRINCIPALS INVOLVED:

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11/26	1305	ARRIVAL AT BRUSSELS NATIONAL AIRPORT OF ADMINISTRATOR KLEPPE AND MR. WOODS ON BEA FLIGHT 542. MET BY MR. MARKS, CHAIRMAN WYVEKENS, AND OTHER REPRESENTA- TIVES OF INSTITUTE. ACCOMMODATIONS AT HILTON.
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11/26	1500-1630	CALLS ON EMBASSY CHARGE BOOCHEVER AMBASSADOR RUMSFELD AND AMBASSADOR GREENWALD
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1630-1830 TOUR OF BRUSSELS (SABLON, GRAND PLACE, ETC.)

11/27 MORNING CALL ON HIS MAJESTY THE KING (TENTATIVE)
CALL ON MINISTER OF MIDDLE CLASSES

11/27 1230 LUNCHEON HOSTED BY ADMINISTRATOR KLEPPE
(IF DESIRED, SEE BELOW)

11/27 1500 MEETING WITH OFFICIALS OF MINISTRY OF SCIENCE
POLICY TO DISCUSS PROPOSED SEMINAR ON R AND D
IN SMALL AND MEDIUM SIZED COMPANY SECTOR
(PARA 2 A BRUSSELS 6065).

11/27 1630 MEETING WITH OFFICIALS OF EUROPMI TO DISCUSS
PROJECTED SPRING 1974 VISIT TO SBA.

11/27 2000 WORKING DINNER WITH OTHER PARTICIPANTS
IN CONGRESS

11/28 0930 OPENING OF CONGRESS AT PALAIS D'EGMONT

11/28 1230 LUNCHEON HOSTED BY CHARGE (AMBASSADOR
STRAUSZ-HUPE WILL REGRETTABLY BE OUT OF
COUNTRY)

11/28 1430 ADMINISTRATOR KLEPPE PRESENTS HIS TALK

11/28 1900 RECEPTION AT HOTEL DE VILLE (TOWN HALL)
OF BRUSSELS

11/28 2030 DINNER HOSTED BY BELGIAN MINISTER OF
MIDDLE CLASSES

11/29 0920 SECOND DAY OF CONGRESS MEETINGS

11/29 1200 RECEPTION AT THE PALAIS D'EGMONT

11/29 1300 WORKING LUNCH AT HOTEL HILTON
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11/29 1500 RENEWAL OF WORKING SESSIONS

11/30 0955 DEPARTURE ON BEA537

3. EMBASSY WOULD APPRECIATE CONFIRMATION FOLLOWING POINTS FROM
ADMINISTRATOR KLEPPE:

A. LUNCH ON NOVEMBER 27: ADMINISTRATOR MIGHT WISH HOST
WMALL LUNCH (10-12 GUESTS) FOR BELGIAN MINISTER OF MIDDLE CLASSES
AND OTHER NOTABLES ATTENDING CONGRESS. IF ADMINISTRATOR AGREEABLE,
FINAL COST AND GUEST LIST CAN BE WORKED OUT PRIOR ARRIVAL SBA
DELEGATION IN BRUSSELS (ESTIMATED COST DOLS 200).

B. CONGRESS HAS FULL PROGRAM FOR THIRD DAY (NOVEMBER 30)
IN LIEGE. WOULD ADMINISTRATOR WISH PARTICIPATE OR DOES HE STILL
WISH TO DEPART MORNING THAT DAY AS INDICATED IN STATE 217843?
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